### Dynamiting Holy Sepulchre--- Mysterious Candle Filled With Bombs Which Might Have Killed Thousands---Greek Church



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quarrels of religious fanatics. The various sects are divided among sacred place in the country is themselves as to who shall control the HOME AIDS TO BEAUTY where Christ was born and upon that where it is supposed the crucifixion

uart of tonic. Take a table-before each meal and before This inexpensive tonic puri-blood, tones up the system, appetite and aids digestion, for clearing up a sallow com-removing liver blotches, pim-other skin eruptions.

DRYING SHAMPOO—Never for washing the head. It the hair and makes it brittle-tance containing alkali is also

That candle was probably sent by a Greek who is disgruntled at the church,

by no means as good as they should be.
Christians Flogged by Mohammedans.
Indeed, the fights among the warring Christians are such that the Mohammedan solders have to use whips to keep them in order. The Turks are always on guard in the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. I have seen them there at Easter time, when they were whipping the quarreling Greeks, Armenians and Copts in order to separate them. During the fight knilves were drawn, and it is not an uncommon thing for blood to pollute the Holy Sepulchre on festal days.

I went last week to Bethlehem to visit the Church of the Nativity. In the stable where Christ was born a line has been drawn across the centre of the flore. On one side of that line the Greek Catholics claim their rights and the other side belongs to the Romans.

As the two sects were worshiping, a

Δέσποτα Κύριε, ο Πατήρ των οίκτιρμών και Θεός πάσης παρακλήσεως, τούς ύποκεκλικότας Σοι τας έχυτων πεφαλάς ευλόγησον, άγίωσον, φρούρησον, ένδυνάμωσού, ώπε παντός έργου πονηρού ἀπόστησον, παντί δ τργώ έγαθο σύναψον - τὰ πάντα αύτοις είς άγαθον εξομάλισον κατά την έκάστου ίδιαν χρείαν πλέουσι σύμπλευσου, εδοιπορούσι συνόδευσον, νοσούντος ίασαι. "Ος: Σύ εξ ή πηγή των άγαθων καί Σοι την δόξαν άναπέμπομεν τῷ Πατρί καὶ τῷ Υίῷ και τῷ ἀγίῳ Πνεύματι είς πους αίωνας. Άμήν. Η γάρις του Κυρίου ήμων Ίησου Χριστου και ή άγάπη του Θεου και Πατρός και η κοινωνία του Αγίου Πνεύματος μετά πάντων υμών. Αμής,

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The Patriarch of Jerusalem.

During my stay here I have had an interview with the patriarch of the Greek Church. He is the Pope of this part of the world as far as that denomination is concerned, and he controls the vast possessions owned by the Greeks in the Holy Land. I am told that the income of the church is something like \$1,000,000 a year, and that the greater part of this fund is administored by him. I have met the Pope at Rome, but his holiness does not appear in such splendor as does the Patriarch of Jerusalem. The patriarch comes out upon state occasions in hat and gown, decorated with diamonds, emeralds and rubles His clothes are of woven gold and sliver, and the bishops who march with him have crosses of damonds which hang from their necks, and they are gowned in gold and sliver brocade.

One of the queerest sights of the world is to see his beatitude, as the patriarch is called, going through the coremony of washing the feet of the twelve apostles in front of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. This he does every year. He appears dressed as I have described, but before going through the humble ceremony of washing the feet of the bishops who have been picked out to represent the apostles, he takes off his grand gown of woven gold and lays aside his domed hat, which is incrusted with jewels.

As he does so his long hair falls to his waist, and he stands forth in plain sight of his people, clad in a long rebe of cream-colored silk crepe, which is bound in at the walst with a golden white girdle. He now takes a Turisish bath towel, which he wraps around his loins, and then, stooping over, he pours some water from a golden pitcher into a basin of gold. In

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The Pope of the East.

But let me tell you about my talk with his beatitude. It was aranged by an official of the church, and the audience took place in the patriarch's house, a great stone building near the pool of Hezekiah, and not far from the Church of the Sepulchre. His beatitude lives there with 100 monks, and many fine-looking Greek priests stood about as I went up the stairs of rose-colored marble. I passed through several rooms filled with high-capped, black-gowned ecclesiastics, and priests and bishops from the four quarters of Greek Catholicism passed in and out. One of the priests, who spoke English, went with me into the audience chamber, and gave me a seat at the right of the throne. He asked me to wait, telling me that his beatitude would be in very shortly.

In the meanime there were others who had come for an audience, and the long table in the centre of the room and the chairs on each side of it were soon filled. The most of the men were bearded, fine-looking priests, dressed in black gowns and high caps.

As we waited a servant brought in a silver tray containing a plate of rose and white cubes of Turkish delight and soveral glasses of \*ater. Upon the tray were many silver forks, each having two fine tines as long as my little finger. As the candy was passed, each man of us took a fork and stabbed it into a cube of the sweet, and thus conveyed it to his mouth. It was delicious.

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